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HONGKONG, BATLEDAY, PREBUARY 916, 1889. 號九月二英港香 六年碑 PRICE \$21 PER MONTH SHIPPING. INTIMATIONS. INTIMATION. AUCTIONS. INTIM: TONS ADVERTISEMENTS. ADVERTISEMENTS PUBLIC AUGITION -ARRIVATS. INHE NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE \mathbf{OF} AKIN CHINA. February 7, Chara, German str., 674, Christon-THE COMPANY. JAPANESE WARE. LIMITED. SCOTTISH LIFE OFFICE OF 63 YEARS ESTABLISHED 1845. son, Haiphong 5th February, Rice.-STEM-STANDING, AND ONE OF THE WEALTHIEST OF THE PROVIDENT INSTITUTIONS OF THE TOTAL ASSETS ON 1 JANUARY, 216,976,616 CHEMISTS вяям & Со. THE Undersigned has received instructions CO-OPERATIVE to Sell by Public Audion. February 7, FOOK CHING, British steamer, 77, CO-OPERATIVE UNITED KINGDOM. TOILET SPECIALITIES OF SPECIAL THIS DAY. AMOUNT ASSURED Alex. Christian, Foochow 5th February, COMPANY, LIMITED. COMPANY, LIMITED. HEN it is remembered that a Life SURPLUS BY NEW YORK STATE } £ 2,497,612 the 9th February, 1889, at 2.30 P.M. sharp, General.—CHINESE. Assurance Contract may not fall to STANDARD at his Sales Rooms. Duddell Street. be fulfilled for a quarter or even half a century February S, MARION, American corvette, Capt. A VERY FINE COLLECTION DAKIN'S SPECIAL SPECIAL SAL BALE after being entered into, it will be readily The Company is a purely Mutual one, no N. M. Dyer. Shanghai 4th February. CANTHARIDIN HAIR STIMULANT understood how important it is to the Policy liability is incurred by the Policy Holders. JAPANESE WARE, OF FIRST CLASS WELL-SEASONED Is strongly recommended for strengthening February 8, ZAPIRO, British steamer, 675, Mc-OF FIRST CLASS WELL-SHASONED holder, that the past record as well as the and profits are divided among them exclusively. and stimulating the growth of the Hair. Caslin, Manila 5th February, General. present management of the Office should be of Of the three largest life insurance companies FURNITURE. WORKS OF ART, FURNITURE. It will be found of special service in those the highest possible character. The Standard in the world, the ratio of Death Losses to (1) cases whon the Hair from constitutional debility RUSSELL & Co. Comprising: PREVIOUS TO STOCK-TAKING AND PREVIOUS TO STOCK-TAKING AND has a long record of past good services to refer Premis. (2) to Interest, and (3), to Insurance in SATSUMA, KAOA, KIOTA & IMARI VASES, or other causes has become weak, thin, and im-February 8, Proportis, British steamer, 1,387 to; its Funds, annually increasing, amount to Force, in 1887, was lowest in the New York INCENSE JARS. PHATES, BOWLS. poverished. EXTENSION OF PREMISES. EXTENSION OF PREMISES. G. Heasley, Kobe 2nd February. Coal and £6,800,000; and all modern features consistent TEA and BREAKFAST SETS, LACQUER Price, \$1.50 per Bottle. LIFE, whilst Interest receipts, since 1845 Comprising: General.—GEO. R. STEVENS & Co. with safety have been adopted. WARE. Gold & Silver INIMID BRONZES. The whole of the present stock of Furniture have exceeded losses by death by over £600,000 February 8, Anciros, British bark, 449, C. Han-Drawing and Dining Room Suites (in Toak REFRIGERATING HAIR WASH. FINE IVORY CARVINGS, and EN-THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED, showing careful selection of lives and carefu has been re-marked at EXCEPTIONALLY LOW (From a recipe of Sir Erasmus Wilson). sen, Amoy 6th Pebruary, Coal.—CHINESE. | 849-51 CRUSTED and INLAID PANELS: Very and Walnut), Bedroom Suites, Commodes investment of money. Agents, Hongkong. cooling and refreshing application that Fine CLOISONNE WARE in VASES February 8. Dunuro, German steamer, 921, C. PRICES to effect a Clearance, pending the BIRLEY. DALRYMPLE & Co., Sideboards, Mantels and Over Mantels, Music W BREWER HAS JUST RECEIVED delightful in use, removes dandriff and scurf. BOXES, PLAQUES and PLATES, &c. F. Bertelsen, Bangkok 3lat January, Rice Agenta, Hongkong SILK EMBROIDERED SCREENS KAT and by allaying fritation and nonrishing the Cabinets, Writing Desas, Hat Stands, Clothes arrival of an entirely New Stock from our Hongkong, 3rd-July, 1888. -Melchers & Co. hair follicles, keeps the hair and scalp in CIMONOS. White & Coloured SILK HAND-Stands, Fancy Plush Chairs, Childrens' Chairs, Factories. Photographic Almanack. KERCHIEFS, CUSHIONS, BROCADES, |healthy and vigorous condition... BANKS. Price, 31 per Bottle. Whitaker's Alk. SILK EMBROIDERIES: &c., &c., CLEARANCES Mirrors, Brackets, Easels, &c. THE NEW OBJENTAL BANK ALSO. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. Huish's Japan and its Art. We shall also include in the above Sale a Large PETROLEUM POMADE. Few ANTIQUE PORCELAINS. 100 pieces Brussels and Tapestry Carpets, A few more Copies of Figure Xmas No. This is particularly useful where the hair is 8TH FEBRUARY. CORPORATION LIMITED. HANGINGS and SCREENS. Assortment of stiff, rendering it soft and undulating. Ningpo, German str., for Snanghai. 250 pairs Blankets, 820 Pairs Lace Curtains, 50 New French Sketches. FURNISHING REQUISITES. Authorised Capital£2,000,000. Catalogues will be issued, and the above will Teinan, British str., for Port Darwin. Celebrated Ball Pointed Pens. CANTHARIDIN POMADE. be on view on FRIDAY NEXT pieces Silk and Wool Tapestries, &c., &c. Brass and Iron Bedsteads, Fonders and Fire-Taiwan, British str., for Taiwanfoo. A tonic and direct stimulant to the growth of Encyclopædia of Needlework. TERMS OF SALE .- As customary. Registered Office, 40, THREADNEEDLE STREET, Irons, Hall Lamps, 'lable Lamps, Photo Froir, Danish str., for Haiphong. G. R. LAMMERT. the hair. Also a few choice Oil and Water Colour LONDON. Demon Tennis Bats. Metapedia, British str., for Nagasaki. Frames, &c., &c. Paintings. CASTOR OIL POMADE. Iron Back Pianos, by Collard & Collard. Hesperia, German str., for Singapore. Hongkong, 6th February, 1889. BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN A favourite English preparation that is con-AND THE COLONIES. Iron Back Pianos, by Kirkman. Batavia, British str., for Nagasaki. The Sale commences on MONDAY NEXT sidered valuable as a perfect hair dressing The Sale commences on MONDAY NEXT THE BANK receives money on Deposit and nourisher combined, for habitual use. New Ladies' Shoes. 11th instant in the-11th instant in the-Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, issues Pomales, \$0.75 per Bottle. DEPARTURES. GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION --NEW PREMISES, 37 & 39, QUEEN'S ROAD. New Children's Shoes. Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection NIW PREMISES, 37 & 39, QUEEN'S ROAD. February 8, SEPTIMA, German str., for Saigon. 22. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL and Transacts Banking and Agency Business No. 35. THE HALL & HOLTZ C. CO. LD. New Photo Frames. February 8, JOHANN, German str., for Hollow THE HALL & HOLTZ C. CO. LD. generally on terms to be had on application. Hongkong, 9th February, 1889. Sweet Caporal Cigarettes. THE following Particulars of Sale of Crown Hongkong, 9th February, 1889. February 8, Anton, German str., for Hollow. TELEPHONE No. 60. Land by Public Auction, to be held on Interest allowed on Deposits:--February 8, CHANG-SHA, British str., for Shang--Myrtle Grove Tobacco. Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum. Hongkong, 4th February, 1889. the spot, on INTIMATIONS. Fixed for 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum. Golden Cloud. NORTH CHINA FAMINE RELIEF February 8, Fushum, Chinese str., for Shangthe 17th day of February, 1889, at 4 P.M., Fixed for 3 months, 3 per Cent. per Annum. WALTER W. BREWER, FUND. ST. ANDREW'S HALL. On Current Deposit Accounts 2 per Cent, per are published for general information. February 8, GWALIOR, British str., for Bombay. | 21 | Under Hongkone HOTEL ARMY CONTRACTS 1889-90. CITY HALL, HONGKONG. By Command. Annum on the daily balance. February S, HESPERIA, German str., for Ham-THE HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING FREDERICK STEWART. FILENDERS, in Duplicate, will be received 'GREORATION will be happy to receive L'ANE, CRAWFORD & Co APPROVED CLAIMS on the ORIENTAL THIS (SATURDAY) EVENING, for the following SUPPLIES and Colonial Secretary. SUBSCRIPTIONS to the above Fund and BANK CORPORATION, in Liquidation, or the the 9th February, 1889, at 9 P.M. February 8, IPHIGENIA, German str., for Yoke-SERVICES required by the Troops at Hong-Colonial Secretary's Office. transmit same to the Shanghai Committee. Have just unpacked a New Shipment of their BALANCES of such Claims purchased on kong and Outposts during the year from lat Hongkong, 26th January, 1889. Hongkong, 31st January, 1889. Under the Patronage of advantageous terms. April, 1889, to the 31st March, 1890. Special make of February 8, MEMNON, British str., for Sanda-HIS EXCRLLENCY THE GOVERNOR. CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY Agency of the NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE Particulars of the letting by Public Auction SUPPLIES: ENGLISH BOOTS & SHOES. ·LIMITED. 1.—For HER MAJESTY'S TROOPS-PROVI-Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 11th day CONCERT. February 8, THIBET, British str., for Bombay. E. W. RUTTER, of February, 1889, at 4 P.M., by Order of His SIONS, FUEL, LIGHT, &c. RACING BOOTS with JOCKEY TOPS NOTICE. Manager, Hongkong Branch. EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR, of ONE 2.-For Hospitals-PROVISIONS. ADAMEKORFF Hongkong, 12th March, 1887. PASSENGERS. Lor of CROWN LAND, in the Colony of FRUIT, WINES, PORTER, ALE ELASTIC SIDE and LACE WALKING HE ELEVENTH ORDINARY AN-Hongkong, for a term of 999 Years. SPIRITS, &c. ARRIVED. NUAL MEETING OF SHARE. MDLLE. MAILLARD. MOMPTOLE D'ESCOMPTE DE PARI Per Clara, str., from Haiphong.-11 Chinese BOOTS. HOLDERS in the above Company, will be SERVICES: No. of Sale Per Zafiro, str., from Manile.—Capt. and Mrs. 3:-Washing and Repairing War Department held at the Offices of the General Agents, Ped-PROGRAMME. INCORPORATED 7TH AND 8TH MARCH, 1848. KID, CALF, and PATENT WALKING Rothbart, Mrs. and Master Klinck, Mr. Lun Bedding and Clothing. 1.—Sonata, Op. 22 SCHUMANN der's Street, on MONDAY, the 18th of Febru-Lupin and servant, Masters Gonzales and Ason-4.-Scavenging, Sweeping Chimneys, and Sup-Mme. Korff. ary, at Noon, for the jurpose of receiving a SHOES. Recognised by the International Convention si, 4 Europeans, and 50 Chinese, deck. plying Dry Earth to Latrines. Report from the General Agents, with a Stateof 30th April, 1862 .-Lighting and Supplying Oil for Exterior. ment of Accounts to the 31st December, 1858. Mdile. MAILLARD. THE NEW RUSSET LEATHER SHOE. REPORTS. .—Capriccio Müller The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company APITAL FULLY PAID UP......£3,200,000 6.—Purchase of Empty Porter Hogsheads. The British steamer Fook Ching, from Foc DRESS BOOTS and DANCING PUMPS. Mme-Korff. will be CLOSED from the 5th to the 18th RESERVE FUND 800.000 chow 5th February, reports had strong monsoon Samples to accompany the Tenders for 4.—Vons lai direz of February, both days inclusive General Supplies, Hospital Supplies, and Supplying Oil for Exterior Lamps. BLOCKED FRONT MILITARY BOOTS with heavy sea throughout. -Mdlle. MAILLARD. JARDINE MATHESON & Co., £4.000.000 .—Rhapsedie HongreiseLiszr General Agents. HEAD OFFICE-14, Rue Bergere, PARIS. The British steamer Zafiro, from Manila 5th Forms of Tender, Conditions of Contract, MENS SLIPPERS, RUBBER OVER. Mme. Korff. Hongkong, 4th February, 1889. February, reports first part of passage experiand any information required may be obtained LONDON BANKERS: enced stormy weather with strong northerly THE SONGEL KOYAH PLANTING INTER ISSION. SHOES. on application by letter addressed to the D. A. A. The Union Bank of London, wind and high sea; latter part moderate sea and .-Ballade, Op. 23... General (B), Commissariat Buildings, or in COMPANY, LIMITED. C. J. Hambro & Son. Мше Кокук. wind from N.E. RUBBER SEA BOOTS. Person, between the hours of 10 A:M. and 4 P.M., and no Tender will be entertained unless made BRANCHES AND SUB-BRANCHES. TTHE STATUTORY GENERAL MEET-The British steamer Propontis, from Kobs LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Mdlle. MAILLARD. on the Forms so obtained. Tenders to be ad-ING of this Company will be held at the Lvons | San Francisco 2nd February, reports had light northerly winds Hongkong, 4th February, 1889. HONGKONG HOTEL, on TUESDAY, the 19th Marsoilles Calcutta Sydney and fine weather to Kuro Sima Island; thence BRAHMS sariat Buildings, before 12 O'CLOCK NOON, on 4.—Parole Melbourne Foochow Tamatave: inst., at 12.30 P.M. FELLY & WALSH, LIMITED to long. 126 E. had strong N.W. winds and 5.- Liebeshed Liszt MONDAY, the 25th February, 1889, and Hankow Nantes. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Tananarive squally weather, with heavy beam sea; during Mine. Koupr. marked on the outside of the Envelope :---London Shangbai Tientsin General Managers. the remainder of passage had moderate to light Master Mason's Aprops, English and Scotch Hongkong, 5th February, 1889. Yokohama Tender for Supplies or Services as the case " Persiflage," the New Shanghai Comic N.E. winds and fine weather. PRICE OF ADMISSION......\$2.00 THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE Almanack. HONGKONG AGENCY. The Secretary of State for War does not bind Tickets may be had at Mesers. LANE, CRAW-Mail Tables for 1889. COMPANY, LIMITED. 1. 8 8 9Current Accounts opened on terms which may FORD & Co. himself to accept the lowest, or any Tender. Powerful Race and Field Glasses. besseertained on application. Head Quarter Army Offices, MAIL TABLES Hongkong, 8th February, 1889. Whittaker's Almanacks, 1899. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. Fixed deposits received at interest upon Hongkong, 7th February, 1889. Hazell's Annual Cyclopoidia, 1889. 12 months' notice 5 per cent per annum. NOTICE TO COMPRADORES. THE TWENTIETH ORDINARY Colestial and Terrestial Globes PUBLIC AUCTION. MAIL TABLES are now ready. Paper, -L MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in Annual Rt. "The Cosmovraphic Atlas" containing over the Company will be held at the Company's TENDERS will be received; up to the 10 Cents: Card 20 Cents, Cash 60 full size haps, by far the best Atlas THE Undersigned has received instructions Loans and Credits granted on approved "DAILY PRESS" OFFICE. 25TH FEBRUARY INSTANT. for the Office, No. 5, Queen's Road, Victoria, at THREE published for the money, \$7.50. from the Captain Superintendent or Upset sconrities, and every description of Banking and SUPPLY of the PROVISION 'required for O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON of TUESDAY. Hongkong, 6th February, 1889. Collection of Japanese Music, printed in Police, to Sell by Public Auc ion, on Exchange Business transacted with the chief the Use of the SAILORS' HOME. The Contract the 19th February, 1889, for the purpose of Japan and bound in native style, a curiosity PUBLIC NOTICE OF EXPIRY OF MONDAY. commercial places of the world. receiving a Statement of Accounts, and the to be from 1st March, 1889, to 28th February, for home friends. the 11th February, 1889, at 11 a.m., at the OPIUM FARM. CHANTREY INCHBALD. Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st Mystery of a Hansom Cab. Central Police Station. Address "Superintendant, Sailor's Home." Madame Midas, by same author SUNDRY UNSERVICEABLE AND THE exclusive Privilege of Boiling and from whom further Particulars may be obtained Hongkong, 4th February, 1889. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company The Inner House, by Walter Besant CONDEMNED STORES, &c., GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION .-A. Preparing Opium and Selling and Rewill be CLOSED from the 6th Proximo to the Hougkong, 8th February, 1889. Year Book of Photography. TTONGKONG& SHANGHAI BANKING tailing Opium so boiled or prepared will Cease Comprising :-UNIFORMS. GREAT COATS, CAPES, No. 37. 19th Proximo, both days inclusive. Gilbert & Sullivan's "Yeoman of the on the 28th day of February, 18 9. No Boiled CORPORATION. THE following Particulars of Sale of Crown By Order, Guard."-complete Vocal Scores, complete HATS, BOOTS, CLOTHING, OLD IRON, or Prepared Cipium purchased from us or our ZETLAND -JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Land by Public Auction, to be held on Librettos, and complete Pianoforte Scores. Licensees can be used after the 3rd day of March. MUSKETS, SCALES, &c. Hudson's and Kearn's Combined Blotting Pad, RESERVE FUND 4,000,000 the spot, on 1889, at Noon, without the consent of the New No. 525. Hongkong, 28th January, 1889. Memo Pad, Date Calendar, and Diary. WEDNESDAY, 28 CHINESE BOATS and SAMPANS, RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS 7.5(9),000 Holder of such exclusive privilege as aforesaid. THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE the 13th day of February, 1 89, at 4 P.M., Payne's Business Letter Writer. now lying at Tsim-Tsa-Tsul. Dated 26th January, 1889. A N EMERGENCY MEETING of the are published for general information. COMPANY, LIMITED. Payne's Social Letter Writer. TERMS OF SALE .- As Customary. COURT OF DIRECTORS:-KHOO TEONG POH, A above LODGE will be held in the Dyer Ball's How to write Chinese. By Command Hon. John Bell-Inving-Chairman. FREEMASONS' HALL Zetland Street, on J. M. ARMSTRONG, NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. Dyer Ball's How to write the Radicals. W. H. FORBES, Esq.—Deputy Chairman. D. Bottomley, Esq. S. C. Michaelson, Esq. FREDERICK STEWART. MONDAY NEXT, the 11th February, at 5 Govt. Auctioneer. CHEAH TEK SOON. Dyer Ball's Cantonese made easy. Colonial Scoretary. Hongkong, 9th February, 1889. for 5.30 precisely. Visiting Brethren are Opium Farmers. N EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of J. S. Moses, Esq. L. Poesnecker, Esq. N. A. Sieba, Esq. Stencil Figures and Letters, 1, 11, 2, 2, W. G. Brodie, Esq. H. L. Dalrymple, Esq. Hongkong, 26th January, 1889. cordially invited. SHABEHOLDERS in the above Com-PUBLIC AUCTION. TAPILEPSY, Hysteria, Convulsions and all pany will be held at the Company's Office, No. Hongkong, 8th February, 1889. KELLY & WALSH, LD., HONGKONG | Hon. B. Layton, . F. Holliday, Fisq. Particulars of the letting by Public Auction Nervous Diseases are radically cured by Queen's Road, Victoria, at 3.15 o'clock P.M., E. A. Solomon, Eag. Sale, to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 13th THE Undersigned has received instructions the use of LAROYENNE'S anti-nervous 20 CHIEF MANAGEE. day of February, 1889, at 4 P.M., by Order of of the 19th day of February, 1889, when the SPECIALITIES. to Sell by Public Auction, on Houghong-G. E. Norle Esq. HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR of ONE subjoined Resolution will be proposed WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. TUESDAY, Chemist of the Paris Academy of Medicine. TNVALID'S PORT MANAGERA. RESOLUTION. Lor of CROWN LAND, in the Colony of the 12th February, 18-9, at 2 P.M., at his This Mode of TREATMENT was experienced Shanghai-Ewen Cameron, Esq. TAT ATERBURY WATCHES, LONDON BANKERS-LONDON & COUNTY BANK Hongkong, for a term of 999 Years. That Article No. 9 of the Articles of Associa-Sales Room's Queen's Road. by Dr. FREMY, at the central hospital (Hôtel-CUTLER PALMER'S. tion be altered by eliminating therefrom SUNDRY SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS Dieu) in his medical department; by Dr Analysed and Certificated by PROFESSOR | No. of Sale THE HANDIEST, CHEAPEST, & BEST TIMEthe words "One Hundred Thousand" and CHEMICAL APPARATUS and 1 IRON FAUVEL; at Dr. BLANCHE's private hospital, Hongkong-Interest Allowed. ASSALL. Each bottle bears his Certificate substituting therefor the words "One SAFE, belonging to the Estate of the late KEEPERS INVENTED. member of the Academy and by Dr. RABBINO. On Current Deposit Account at the rate of The Wine is as designated. of Purity. Hungred and Fifty Thousand." WITCH, member of both the Academy of Paris, \$3 PRICE THREE DOLLARS EACH \$3 2 per cent. per Annum on the daily balance. Dr. Wm. Young. By Order, REPAIRS NEVER EXCEED 50 CENTS FOR On Fixed Deposits:and the Institute of France. JAS. B. COUGHTRIE. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., SUNDRY FURNITURE, &c., These eminent Doctors have ascertained of For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. BACH WATCH. SIEMSSEN & Co. Secretary. Comprising :---Orders from Outports to be accompanied with For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. the constant and periodical decrease of the fits. Hongkong, 28th January, 1889. DRAWING ROOM SUITE, MARBLE which are soon after radically cured. For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum. CHAMPAGNE remittance for cost. PREMIER TOP CENTRE and SIDE TABLES and HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING THE MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHIA This Preparation is combined with Sal Am-LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. 18 THAT OF CHIMNEY GLASSES. moniac and Oxide of Thyle. CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and CORPORATION. (Sole Agents in Japan & China Teskwood DINING TABLE, SIDE-Price of a Bottle for France, 20 fr. for the Sale of the above Watches) every description of Banking and Exchange BINET FILS ET CIE. BOARD, WHATNOTS, CARD TABLES The Treatment is never to be continued after OTICE is hereby given that the ORDIN-ARY YEARLY MEETING of the 10, Queen's Road Central. CONSIGNED BY CROCKERY. GLASS & PLATED WARE. three or six weeks at the utmost and 4 Bottles ARY YEARLY MEETING of the DRAFTS granted on London and the chief Opposite Marine House. CUTLER PALMER & Co., Double and Single IRON BEDSTEADS. SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, are sufficient. Hongkong, 30th August, 1888. WARDROBES, WARDROBE with Plate America, China and Japan. be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on General Depot: at LAROYENNE'S, Place to their friends Glass Doors, CHEST OF DRAWERS, TOI-Royale, CLERMONT-FERBAND (France) and at ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION IN G. E. 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This steamer was formerly a Man-of-war of M. ROUYAUD,

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J. M. ARMSTRONG.

TERMS OF SALE, -As Customary.

Hongkong, 9th February, 1889.

Agent for the Messageries Maritimes. Hongkong, 9th February, 1889. IONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING or SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Offices of the Company, No. 14, Praya Central, on MONDAY, the 25th instant, at THREE P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, and Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1888.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company instant, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors. D. GILLIES.

Hongkong, 9th February, 1889. TKINSON'S ENGLISH PERFUMERY surpasses all others for its natural fragrance,

CELEBRATED EAU DE COLOGNE is unequalled for its strength and delightful adout. It far surpasses the numerous compounds sold under the same name ATKINSON'S FLORIDA WATER,

24. OLD BOND STREET, LONDON. Trade Mark—A "White Bose" on a "Golden Lyre, with Address in full.

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OPTHALMIC OPTICIANS

On his return visit from China and Japan

will arrive in Hongkong on February 11th, and

will remain at the Hongkone Hotel for 14

Yokohama, 25th January, 1889.

days only.

Can be obtained in bulk or bottle by all

Changhai.

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CLAIMS the Dividend of 5 per cent payable in each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must the year 1890, UNDER A DISCOUNT OF FIVE. TWELFTHS PER CENT. JOHN JAMESON & SON. of the Final Dividend less discount as above are January and beginning of July. BOW STREET DISTILLERY, DUBLIN, requested to communicate with the undersigned WHO ARE NOT CONNECTED WITH ANY OTHER BEFORE THE END OF THE CURBERT MONTH,

E. W. RUTTER. Oriental Bank Corporation

LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PAYMENT OF 6TH DIVIDEND.

A. Claims against the Hongkong Branch of

Creditors are requested to apply to the Bank

6th Dividend may be endorsed thereon.

THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, which

6TH DIVIDEND of 61 per Cent on all

Agent for the Official Liquidator in Liquidation. 2, Queen's Road. [288] his Pass Book are necessary.

Hongkong, 6th February, 1889. CHARLES DAY & Co., 17, WATER LANE, S C O T C H W H I S K Y. Really the best is CUTLER PALMER & Co's Because it is old and mature and rich. Because it is quite free from fusel oil,

Because Physicians approve it as A 1. It is shipped in Round, Square, and Heart Shaped Bottles. Our Agents have Stocks of either Please apply to JARDINE, MATHEBON & Co.,

or to LANE, CHAWFORD & Co.

or to Stemssen & Con

Hongkong, 21st January, 1889.

Hongkong, 1st January, 1889. MOMPTOIR DESCOMPTE DE PARIS. The Offices of the above Bank have been This Day REMOVED to BEACONSFIELD

ARCADE. CHANTREY INCHBALD, Hongkong, 4th Fabruary, 1889. Hongkong, 11th April 1883.

G. E. NOBLE,

Chief Manager.

Chief Manager.

Hougkong, 1st January, 1889.

to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.

have been approved by the Court of Chancery | cenducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai

will be paid at the Offices of the New ORIENTAL Banking Corporation, on their premises in

BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED, on and after Houghong. Business hours on week-days, 10

for their Dividends and to produce the letter one time will not be received. No depositor

they hold from the Official Liquidator admitting may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year their Claims in order that the payment of the J.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having

NOTICE.

DULES OF THE HONGKONG

SAVINGS BANK

1.—The business of the above Bank will be

2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at

\$100 or more at their credit may at their option

hai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for

12 months at 5 per cent, per annum interest.
4.—Interest at the rate of 31 per cent, per

not make any entries themselves in their Pass.

Books, but should send them to be written up

U.—Correspondence as to the business of the

Bank if marked On Hongkong BAVINGS BANK

Business is forwarded free by the various

7.-Withdrawals may be made on demand,

but the personal attendance of the Depositor or

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Hongkong, FEBRUARY 9TH, 1889.

In our yesterday's issue we commented on the decline in the trade of Port Darwin caused by the prohibition of Chinese immigration. As the terminus of the projected trans-continental railway Port Darwin has a great future before it, but if it is to be anything more than a mere way station, if the rich territory of North Australia, for which veloped, it is certain that Asiatic labour will have to be freely admitted. Climatic condi tions constitute an absolute bar to the exploitation of the country by white labour. Even in the colonies themselves this is so far recognised that the question whether Australia is to be from end to end a white Australia already finds some supporters of the negative, and it is proposed that the Northern parts of Queensland, South Australia, and Western Australia should be split off. and allowed to introduce what description of come when the trans-continental railway is finished, Port Darwin will require Asiatio labour for the work of unloading and discharging ships and handling cargo. The employment of European labour for these purposes within the limits of the tropics would be too costly both in wages and sacrifice of human life to prove permanently successful. At present the scheme of the Australian trans-continental railway has not taken any practical form, but from colonial papers recently received we notice that it is again receiving considerable attention, after having dropped out of discussion for several years. Recent gold discoveries in the country to be crossed by the proposed line have brought the scheme into prominence, and many writers assert that, in addition to the mineral wealth it would tap, large tracts of excellent land for pastoral purposes exist along the line of route, and that the traffic in live stock and wool would be sufficient not only to pay interest upon the cost of the work, but would absolutely leave a margin of profit. The difficulty raised in the past was, first the want of water, and second the distance from a market. The first of these difficulties can now be easily overcome by boring operations. and the latter would of course disappear with the construction of the railway. Unfortunately the financial position of the colony of South Australia is at present not son and the officers of the A. and S. Highlanders very favourable, over-speculation and a their Band will play during the afternoon. succession of bad seasons having brought about a period of depression. The Port Darwin paper, referring to this point, auggests that money is chesp in the London

tinuation of the line from north and south. We understand that the Hon. J. M. Price's departure from the colony will probably be de-

market, and for such a work as the proposed

if politicians are only bold enough to adopt

a courageous policy, and authorise the con-

The M. M. steamer Yangtee, with the next outward French mail, was to leave Singapore for this port yesterday at 5 p.m.

The Agents (Messrs. Russell & Co.) inform us that the Union line steamer, Highfield, from London, left Singapore on Thursday for this

The Pacific Mail steamer City of Peking for this port to-day.

main here for a few weeks. M. Dyer, flying the flag of Rear-Admiral Chand. At Yap one of the men died. The remainder

exchanged the usual salutes. On Sunday morning, between 9 and 1030 here yesterday by the China and Manila steamer o'clock, the steam launch carrying the Bethel Zafiro. flag will call alongside any vessel hoisting code pennant C, to convey men ashore to 11 a.m. service at St. Peter's Seamen's Church, returning

of His Excellency the Governor,

A Priory of the Knights of Malta was established vesterday evening. Eminent Prior Sir Kuight R. A. J. Anderson, of Shaughai, conducting the ceremony. Eminent Sir Knight A. O'D. Gourdin was installed as Eminen' Prior, and the Past Preceptors of Victoria Preceptory were installed as Past Priors.

Under the heading " Among colleagues," the Macao Independente of the 7th inst., after alluding to certain news furnished us by our Macao correspondent, and which also appeared in the Extremo Oriente, asks us, " Is it worth while to trust in one's corresponden's and in the writer to the Extreme Oriente?" Our reply must be simply that we certainly have more confidence in our correspondent than in the Independente: our reasons are that our corresand being man independent position, only supplies us with facts, whereas the Independents, being governmental measures in their true lights. aspecially any actions of the ex-Governor Firmino da Costa, whom our contamporary has unsuccessfully endeavoured to defend to the last, even when Sr. Costa was transferred to Guine on account of his disagreements with the Municipal

Mesers. Dalgety & Company, Limited, in their M. Cotte has been instructed to prepare for monthly circular, dated Newcastle, N.S.W., let January, say :-- All the collieries are working full time, with the exception of one or two pits which undertook very heavy engagements, and consequently have not yet exhausted the tonnege. Due, was proclaimed King in succession to the which accumulated upon them during the late late Sovereign, Dong Kanh. Bien Lanh is ten strike. Ships in port are receiving prompt despatch. Shipments for California during the month were not so heavy as might have been expected, and the tonnage listed to load is very dent-General in the name of the French Remuch below the engagements of previous months: Valparaiso and the west coast of South America, February. A Council of Regency had been ap- 5 chests MU 5/9 and 5 sheets MJ, or to- of the plaintiff and they were authorised to give ments, and the tonnage in port and to arrive is pointed. proportionately large. For India, Java. China. and the Philippines, rates are firm, and owners ideas are considerably higher than charterers' We quote to-day's approximate rates as follows :- San Francisco, 18s. ; San Diego, 18s. Wilmington, 18s.: Honolulu (nominal); Tahiti (nominal); Java, 18s.; Singapore (steam) 17s.; posed to be cruising to the South of the Island, with a sugar order for the sum of \$7,800, advis-Colombo (steam) 17s.; Madras (steam) 16s.; Hong- | the Garrison represented by dummies occupying kong, 16s.; Amoy, 18s.; Manila, 18s.; Valparaiso the gaps with a view of opposing any attempt to (nominal): Mauritius, 17s.

circumstances attending the fire in Wing-lock tain Sankey, their object being to seize Little Street on the 5th instant. Several of the employes of the shop were called, but nothing material was elicited. As to the insurance, a clerk during the practice. from Messra, Russell & Co.'s said a policy Orders for extra copies of the Daily Press should was effected with that firm on the 18th or 19th Bay shortly before three o'clock. Two guns and a ultimo for \$14,000 on goods and merchandise and \$1,000 on the fittings. There was no inspection before the insurance was effected. The accountant of the shop said that before insuring with Mesers. Russell & Co. the firm was insured with Mesars. Jardine, Matheson & Co. for \$17,000 or \$18,000, but the office was change ed because Messrs. Jardine. Matheson & Co. raised the rates. At the close of the hill, the outposts of the enemy were seen thrown evidence His Worship said it was a strange thing that none of the witnesses seemed to know anything about the origin of the fire. It seemed as if they had been sitting there until the house was nearly-burned down and then discovered that there was a fire. He had heard nothing against the shop, and of course it was possible that the fire took place in some way that the witnesses were not in a position to know. The lice were in possession of the premises present and if he kept them there it would canse a considerable amount of inconvenience to everybody, concerned, and he did not know that there was anything to be gained by it. Under the circumstances, therefore, he should give an it is the principal natural outlet, is to be de- order to release the premises, but this was by no means because he considered that the account given was satisfactory or that there had been any real information obtained. He would request the Police to continue their inquiries in connection with the case.

> REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS." LONDON, 6th February.

THE EXTRADITION BILL The United States Senate has rejected the Extradition Bill proposed by England. ITALY.

The Italian armaments have caused a large AUSTRO-HUNGARY. It is stated that there is a possibility of a post humous heir to Prince Rudolph.

MR. PARNELL'S ACTION AGAINST THE "TIMES." Mr. Parnell's Scotch action against th Times has been dismissed.

HAVAS TELEGRAMS.

PARIS, 27th January. THE SEINE ELECTION. In the Seine election General Boulanger secured 244,000 votes against 162,000 cast for M. Jacques. The Reactionary candidate obtained 16,000 votes. The excitement is extreme, but there has been no disturbance.

29th January. Foreign journals express grave apprehensions for the future. THE PRESS LAWS.

It is reported that the Press laws are to b

Slat January. THE DEATH OF THE AUSTRIAN CROWN PRINCE. The Prince Imperial of Austria died suddenly

CRICKET. HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB v. NAVY. The above match will be continued at 14 a.m.

to-day. Tiffin on the ground. By kind permission of Colonel Forbes Robert

LOSS OF A SPANISH TRANSPORT

FORTY LIVES LOST. The Spanish steamer Remus, while on voyage with troops from Manila to various stations railway would be obtained without trouble. in the Philippines, was lost on the 30th January, She struck on a reef near Point Billiam, but was got off, anditwas thought she would be able to make port. After proceeding several hours. however, a bulkhead gave way, and she went down in a few minutes. She had over 160 paswere drowned, including a lady. The remainder escaped in the boats.

> LOSS OF THE BARQUE "F. H. DREWES."

she was dismasted and waterlogged. The position. After the firing had continued for Yap, but suffered much privation on the way, The American corvette Marion. Captain N. their supply of water and provisions being short. ler, arrived here yesterday from Shanghai, and were taken to Manila in one of the Spanish gunboats, and Captain Rothbart and his wife arrived

Tolor and said "Ma, we've got a new horse." ___ as safer, in the ond."

THE LATE KING OF ANNAM AND HIS SUCCESSOR.

The Courrier d'Haiphong of the 3rd February

gives fuller particulars of the death of the King of Annam than those previously published. The death, which had been expected for several days, took place on the 28th January at eight o'clock in the evening. On the 26th the Resident-General, on his return to Hué. telegraphed to the Governon General that His Majesty had been confined to his bed for ten days. He offered him the services of a European doctorand Dr. Cotte, of the Thuan-an hospital, having been selected, the Resident-General and 1308 pondent, having undertaken to give Macao news, the doctor visited the King on the 27th. Dr. Cotte, on examination, found the King sufferthe recognised champion of the Government, is ing from fever and in a state of great weakness, not likely to present to the public any defective and expressed the opinion that a severe access of the fever might carry him off, his chances of recovery being about fifty per cent. M. Cotte visited the King again on the 28th, at eleven o'clock, and the death took place the same evening. The Governor-General telegraphed his condolence to the Queen mother and the family.

> publication an official report on the late King's On the 31st January Bien Land, son of Duc years of age and has an intelligent and frank face. The selection was notified by the Resipublic. Bion Lanh was to be crowned on the 3rd

> > REGIMENTAL FIELD FIRING.

land and seize the heights overlooking the town. Mr. H. E. Wodehouse. Police Magistrate. The attacking force consisted of two Companies held an inquiry yesterday afternoon as to the of the 91st Regiment and four guns under Cap-

The attacking force lauded at Deep Water body of men were then sent away on the right while the other two guns and a support had orders to remain stationary until the signal was given them and then to advance on the left, the main body now advanced in the centre. After a stiff climb up the slippery sides of the forward on a hill opposite, some two hundred vards distant. A soon as the attackers had got well under cover, the order was given to fire. The first few volleys did little damage as the men were firing too high and the shots passed harmlessly over the heads of the defenders. This defect was, however, quickly remedical and the fire became so effective that it was decided that the outpost would have been forced to retire. The word was given to adwhich they were resting was scaled. Here the men were halted: Beneath the was a deep tion, was not, however, occupied by the enemy. The two guns on the right, had climbed a enemy posted on a hill away to the left close to the Little Hengkong Road, the next one to that unoccupied. They atonce opened fire, and from the neighbourhood, it must have been very destructive. This fire was kept up for some time until the

other two gons on the left and their support had Hongkong firm accordingly, of which please advanced some considerable distance, when a forward move of the centre was again made. This move was the most difficult of the whole advance. The ground was broken and uneven while in some places the steeps seemed almost perpendicular. It was almost difficult to tell which was the more trying, the descent on one side of the valley or the ascent on the opposite The move was accomplished, nevertheless in excellent time, considering the difficulties that had to be overcome, and a position which was well sheltered by some large rocks having been secured the men fired a number_of volleys, being bay and China. Mr. F. D. Sassoon's answer well backed up by their guns on a skirmishing denies that he is a partner of the Bombay firm. which now came in view. Having driven back this body they slowly advanced until the main body of the enemy came into view. As Bornbay firm." At the hearing the statement in soon as these had been sighted, some 1,200 | the answer was accepted and the pleadings yards ahead and supported by two guns. the men were ordered to lie down, and a guns. Their transport necessarily occasioned position they opened fire, endeavouring to silence before the range could be found, but this having been done some good and effective work was done. The infantry were again ordered to advance. It had been at first intended that an two points, right and left, but after prospecting the ground which would have to be covered to attack on the right this had to as appeared on the right at all, but un-

NAGASAKI Mesars. The C. & J. Trading Co. with mails, sto., from San Francisco to the 15th she left in August, was overtaken by a vio- ly hit fell so close that they must have creat. absence of plaintiff it had to be postponed, and ultimo, has arrived at Yokohama and will leave lent typhoon on the 15th December, in which ed considerable havor in a body of men in finally his evidence was taken on Commission Admiral Ralph Chandler and Mrs. and Miss crew left her two days later in one of the ship's some minutes, the bugle was sounded, and the vation that it has not been tested by the same peared for the plaintiff, and Mr. Francis, Q.C., Chandler are staying at the Hongkong Hotel hosts, intending to make for the Mariannas, some practice was over. The markers' reportant cross-examination—and that the witness has not instructed by Messra. Caldwell and Wilkinson, at present and are likely, we understand, to re- 850 miles distant. They succeeded in reaching having yet been made up, it is impossible to the fear of the penalties of perjury before him for the defendant. give the exact percentage of effective shots, but it should be a very respectable one. Are we going back from iron to stone? The the case. 2° Because he did not certify that he and had paid \$2,400 with interest at 8 per cent. managers of the Pennsylvania Railroad have had taken the cath prescribed by the commission | the bond should be void .. The plaintiff alleges | Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Sharesresolved to rebuild all its bridges of short span before taking evidence. See Taylor on Evidence that defendant has only paid \$100 and one year's in brick or stone, instead of iron. It is argued and Brydges v. Branfill and others, Simons Re-that the weight of locomotives has increased so ports, Vol. XII. 384. As the Commissioner has \$267.68 as interest. The defendant pleads let that per share, buyers.

SUPREME COURT. 8th February.

IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION. BEFORE THE HON. J. RUSSELL. CHIEF JUSTICE.

JOHANNES U. SARROON AND OTHERS. Mr. Francis, Q.C., and Mr. Robinson, instruct ed by Mesers. Sharp, Johnson, and Stokes, were for the plaintiffs, and the Attorney-General, instructed by Mesers. Wetten and Deacon for the

friends, Messrs. D. Sassoon, Sons, & Cov., to Persian Opium M. U. 5/9 and 5 chests M. J. These 10 chests belonged originally to Hadiee I they are now placed at your disposal and control against purchases of sugar to be made by you."

to-day to above gentlemen requesting them the property would have passed to him. Vendor's to receive the same in consignment from us, lien, and stoppage in transitu would have been Peking The Regiment had a field firing practice yes- and place them speedily at favourable prices, torday afternoon. An enemy's fleet was sup- Mr. Morad Nissim of Bushire has favoured us ing us to deduct therefrom the proceeds of the minus 3.471, handing you over shipping doonments of the sagar. We beg therefore you will kindly inform us whether the above draft of 83.471 will be acceptable to Hoping to hear from you soon. On the same day the plaintiff also wrote Hongkong Gap. Colonel Craster was present to D. Sassoon, Sons, & Co. of Hongkong :-Dear Sira-We learn from your house, of Bombay. Messrs. David Sassoon & Co., by their favour of the 28th uit. that they have instructed Blackburn said "But the bailee has no better von to transfer to our account and credit 5 chests marked M. U. 5/9, 5 chests marked M. J., together 10 chasts of Persian Opium. We bog you will follow the instructions and place it as speedily as possible at advantageous prices which we believe you will have no trouble in doing-considering that the commodity is quite fresh. We do not draw against the consignment, but at the same time cherish the hope that you will use your best endeavours to oblige us soon with account sales so that we may be enabled to execute our order for sugar. We are &c., (Sgd.) J. M. Johannes & Co." To that the defendant replied: - Hongkong. 4th September, 1882. Mesars, J. M. Johannes & Co., Batavia. - Dear Sirs. - We beg to acknow edge the receipt of your favour of the 19th ultimo contents of which have our attention. In accordance with our Bombay Firm's justruotions we have duly transferred the 10 chests Persian Opium marked M. U. 5c., M. J. 5c. to your account and hove shortly to be able to ad vise sales at favourable rates." The instruction vance. The position lately occupied by the from Bombay to defendants were under date outpost was reached and the top of the hill upon the 28th July, and referred to the transfer the opium to plaintiff. It does not appear the any conditions were added. On the 2nd Oc laintiff acknowledged the letter of 14th Sept valley, the opposite hill being some our hundred and requested an early sale and "to provide yards distant. This hill, contrary to expectat with the proceeds to enable us to carry out order we have against the consignment. You shall confer great obligations on the parties concerned therein." The plaintiff also asked to height on the extreme right from whence they be allowed to draw against the consignment could obtain a good view of the country. From and on the 26th Oct. again hoped for a sale this point of vantage they descried a body of the "and proceeds to enable them" to execute certain orders for sugar." On the 28th Oct. the Bombay firm wrote to defendants that Hadji Mahome Jaffer. Radii Mahomed Hussin and Morad Nissim had requested them to instruct the appearance of the targets and the ground in the Hongkong Firm to cancel the transfer to plaintiff of the 10 chests of opium and to instruc plaintiff to cancel the order for sugar in connec tion with the same: "We have advised our

Further correspondence took which need not be set out, but in one letter Messra. D. Sassoon and Co. of Bombay states hat if the plaintiff had purchased the sagar. notwithstanding the instruction to cancel order, they would be willing to pay if sent on to them, leaving the onium to old account. Letters passed in November ween plaintiff and defendants about the cance ment of the transfer, non-acceptance of a l and refusal to deliver the opium, and final the action was commenced against Mr. F. Sassoon, for himself and his co-partners. He described in the netition as the resident Hong kong partner of D. Sassoon, Sons. & Co. of Bom although from the correspondence the Boimbay and Hongkong firms write respectively one another as "our Hongkong firm" and "ou amended accordingly Briefly the petition states that in consideration

of the plaintiff's employing the defendants as h rest was taken to await the arrival of the agents to sell and dispose of certain goods for roward, the defendants promised to account, &c., some delay, but as soon as they could be got into and that in pursuance of such contract and as such agents the defendants received 14th Sept. 1882, certain opium to sell those of the defenders. It was some little time dispose of from the plaintiff, and they acknow ledged that they held the opium for the accoun of the plaintiff. Notwithstanding the fulfilme of all conditions the defendants have not accoun ed, and they refuse to deliver the opium and hav converted the same to their own use. The plainti advance should be made on this position from therefore seeks damages to the extent of \$5.000. The defendant denies everything—and says they did promise to hold or sell or dispose of the opium they did so upon the condition and under standing that the plaintiff would purchase and pa be abandoned. It was questionable whether it for and ship sugar to the order of the firm of would have been possible to cover such ground Sassoon & Co., of Bombay, and the plainti never fulfilled such condition and entitled himself to have such conditional promi der any circumstances it could not have been carried out. The defendant then further says done while davlight lasted. The order was if he did make an unconditional promise as al therefore given for the whole strength to attack leged, he was induced to do so by the false refrom the left. On the left of the road rose a presentation of the plaintiff that he was making or about to make certain shipments of sugar steep, rocky hill, from which once scaled, a and to pay for the same, it being known and uncommanding position could be obtained for derstood by and between both parties that the firing on the defenders, while by keeping sole purpose for which the Opinm was placed well to the back of the hill, the attackers at the plaintiff's order was to meet such pay price placed upon the opium, or agreed upon, or ment. He also relies upon ius tertit. were invisible to the defenders during the justertiz was not specially pleaded, but it was and account, the proceeds of the opium were ascent. The ascent of this hill coming on the defence chiefly relied upon at the hearing and the top of the hard work just accomplished the right to advance it was very fully debated. If the property had passed the cancellation, was no easy task, but after about ten minutes, The testimony in the case consisted of evidence taken on commission, and the correspondence the sound of volley firing told that the men between the parties. In 1885 the defendants tiffs' right was a right to the possession, of had gained the heights. Having got thus far obtained the issue of a Commission to Bushire they had now a splendid position for attack and had Mr. Morad Nissim appointed Comand a most deadly fire was kept up. Taking the whole practice throughout, as far as July and 19th August, 1882, and it ought less he bought the sugar. His legal advisors have done their best for him, but his own evidcould be judged from the attackers' position to have been known, I don't say it was, claim, and he must therefore fail, however, skiland without making a close survey of the results that Mr. Morad Nissim was the agent at the afterwards, this part of the work was the best least for the owner of the opium if not part owner himself. The commission was returned The barque F. H. Drewes, while on a voyage done. The hits on the dummies must have been in 1886. The case was coming on for trial on to Shanghai from San Francisco, which port considerable while those that did not actual- two occasions. I believe, when owing to the at Batavia. This is not a neual course-and the evidence of such witnesses is liable to the obser-

(Coch v. Alloock 21 Q.B.D.) The Bushire Com- His Lordship also gave judgment in this suit mission has been in the hands of the plaintiff for as follows:-This is an action on a bond bearing some time. At the trial it was objected to in date 37st Dec. 1885, by which the defendant On Tai Insurance Company, Limited-Tla. 148 toto. 1 2 Because the Commissioner was an im. bound himself in the sum of \$4,800 to the plain-There is almost as much pathes as humour in much of late years that iron bridges, which were certified that he has taken the prescribed oath I he was an infant when the bond was executed. Straits Marine Insurance Company, Limitedthe following story of an Albany boy of tender built with a large margin of safety, are now might, on the authorities, be justified in inferring | 2ndly. He denies that he paid interest for one years : Shortly after his mother's death he, dangerously tried by the trains passing over that be had done so before taking the depositions year as alleged, or that he paid \$100 on account Straits Fire Insurance Company, Limited-In reminding our readers of the concert to be with his father, visited her grave being carried them, and the expense of improvious and repair of witness. But if the Court had known the or any other sum. He denies that he obtained given this evening by Mme. Korff and Mdlle. there by a horse which his father had recently of iron bridges represents a large interest on business relations which he had with the parties more than \$900, and that sum and \$201 in. Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company's Muillard, we would call attention to the fact that bought. The father, standing spart from the their cost. For these reseases be would never have been appointed commissioner, ferest he has paid into Court. He expresses SAN FRANCO. Mr. L. P. Fisher, 21, Merchants it will take place in the St. Andrew's Hall and grave, was naturally in a contemplative frame the road have decided that brick or atone arches, the gives evidence himself—and his own so-called bis readiness to return a promissory note for Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamhoat Co. a

up in the matter that it would not be right un-

transfer to your account and credit 5 chests The defendants, however, were bailess not of the ordinary kind. They had the possession of the Mahomed Jaffer of Ispahan, and we understand the Bombay firm acting as agents for parties that letter as follows:-" We are in receipt of made between the plaintiff and owner. It note. Judgment with costs. your esteemed favour of the 28th ult. and might have been transferred to him as a purhave noted with thanks your instruction chaser—or as an agent to sell and invest. It was your friends Messrs. D. Sassoon, Sons, not their business to know the arrangement. & Co., Hongkong, regarding the transfer of All they had to do was to hold it at the disposal gether 10 chests of Persian Opium to our it up to him. They did hold it on plaintiff's acaccount and credit. We have likewice written count, and if he had bought it unconditionally They had constituted themseives his agents to receive, and did receive, or at all events attorn to him, and they told him so. If on the taith of the defendants' attornment plaintiff had advanced money to the consignor, as was the others on account of old age. case in Stonard v. Dunkin and others, 2 Camp., or had altered his position injuriously in reference to the Persian owner, after they had informed him that they held the opium to his account and credit, the defendants would not have been entitled on the authorities to defend on the ground of ins tertii. That is what was decided in Stonard and Dunkin, as pointed out in Biddle v. Bond. But in Biddle v. Bond after referring to the

doctrine of Estoppel Mr. Justice, new Lord, title than the bailor, and consequently if a person entitled as against the bailor to the property claims it, the bailee has no defence against him. Wilson v. Anderson 450. "The bailee of a chattel may be, however, very awkwardly placed at times. If the real owner of the chattel bailed, although a stranger to the bailee, makes a claim, and the bailee notwithstanding his notice gives up the chattel to the bailor he will be liable in trover for conversion if it turn out that the stranger had the real title to the property. The bailed on the other hand, may be sued by the bailor, on the ground that he is estopped from denying his title. Hence the law allows him to interplead. He may however refuse to give up the goods to the bailor or the person to whom he has attorned, but then only if he does so by the right title, and authority of one in whom there is a better title and not adversely to him. In Biddle v. Bond it appeared that Biddle

seized the goods of one Robbins under a distress and gave them to Bond to sell. Before the sale Robbins claimed thom as illegally seized. Bond refused to return the goods to Biddle. in virtue of Robbins' title and succeeded. He did so because he defended by Robbins' title and not adversely to him. There are several cases where it has been considered enough to show that the better title is in the tertius without relying upon his anthority. But the rule given in Biddle Bond is obviously the correct one, for the real owner might have abandoned all claim, and the holder might thus keep goods to which he had they had already secreted themselves. no right whatever. In the present_case infer from the evidence that the property in the opium is that of Hadje Mahomed Jaffer and that the defendants have resisted the claim and are defending the action by his turn to her husband. right and title and by his authority and not adversely to him. The letter of the 29th July stated from whom the onium came, and the object of the consignment. The plaintiff-replied that he had got it as against sugar orders have been handed over to their authorities to Again and again he refers to the opinm being claced under his control against sugar to be probased. The proceeds were to be applied to the purchase of such sugar. He save that he did not buy the sugar. His first letter to Messrs. Sassoon and Go, would show that as to five chests at all events his duty was purely that of an agentfor he was to draw for balance between the opium proceeds, and $7.800~{
m Rupses}$, the cost of sugar to be purchased. There was some estimated price for the opium evidently, for he says the draft for difference between opinm and sugar may be \$3.471 more or less. The amount to be expended on sugar was fixed, but the proceeds of the opium was not known. If the opium was his by purchase why should this sum be left undetermined? The plaintiff in his evidence suggests a sale to his agent in Persia. who he "thinks gave a bill on him for the opium." He says however that "it was never resented for acceptance." When asked as to the consideration which he had given for the prium he answered that he had paid for certain bills to which he referred drawn by Arratoon and Herapit on him. These however were paid for long before the opinin was sent or, the sugar ordered, and had nothing to do with it. The transactions are explained in the correspondence which took place as to the 10 chests. which were all against sugar orders Mesara. D. Sassoon & Co., of Bombay acted merely as agents for the parties in Persia, and conveyed instructions on their behalf both to the plaintiff and defendants. They all concurred in sending the This year's New Malwa...\$630 per picul, alloe. of instructions to Bombay to cancel the sugar orders. And no suggestion of the purchase of the opium | Last year's New Malwa...\$650 per picul, alloe, of s made by plaintiff till very late in the day. The property in the opium never did pass absolutely. Old and Older Malwa ... \$660 per picul, alice. of t would have passed sufficiently to give a good title to a bona fide purchaser for value, just as | Patna (New) the property in goods obtained by fraud would | Benaros (New) -see Attenborough v. London and Katherine Docks L.R. 3 C.P.D. p. 450. It was placed however at the disposal and control of plaintiff for a specific purpose—viz. as against orders to be executed but which were not executed. It was thus coupled with a trust, and any application of the proceeds for any other purpose would have been a breach of trust, and the funds or any purchase made by them as long as they could be followed, in the hands of plaintiff, were liable to be attached in favour of the ceelai qui rus. (Taylor v. Plumer 3 M. and S. 562. Lewin on Trusts.) Whether therefore there was a

the advocacy. Judgment for defendants with costs. Except costs of and incidental to the Bushire commission. NG MAN KWAN v. TAM LIN TAI. The Attorney-General (Hon. E. L. O'Malley instructed by Messrs. Wotton and Descon, ap

hat the plaintiff was merely an agent to realize

to buy angars which have not been bought.

under the circumstances, revested it. Plain-

he property as against the defendants on the

ground of the esteppel by attornment but as

not in the Theatre Royal as wrongly adver- of mind, and the boy, being unable to stand the although much more expensive in the first in deposition is an advocate's argument for the \$500, which he holds, as he has got \$400 of it from Shares—130 per cent. prem., ex div. tised. The concert is given under the patronage oppressive allence any longer, lifted his children than testimony, and however plaintiff. There is evidence of a december inde-China Steam Navigation Co. p. Shares—130 per cent. prem., ex div. honest and honographe he may be, he is so mixed brother in the shape of an affidavit in suit

24 of 1878, filed in 1879, in which it was der any circumstances, in my opinion, to allow necessary to set out the ages of the members of the evidence to be used even if consented to which Tam Achoy's sons, and the defendant who of course it is not. I am therefore compelled to i is one of them is sworn to as having been born on deal with the ovidence in the case without the the 14th February, 1864. Another affidavit as to aid of that supplied by the Bushire Commission, his age put in on his own behalf recently, when After exreful consideration I am of opinion that a change of solicitors was asked for, gives no aid as between the plaintiff and defendants, (1) That one way or another in determining the defenit was no part of the contract between them dant's age. The foster-mother and nurse that the defendants were to hold the opium don't agree as to his age, although the evidence conditionally against the purchase and shipment of both would make him under age, when he of sugar. (2) That they atterned to the plain- signed the bond. I am of opinion that Tam Lin tilf as the owner of the opium (whether he was. Tai was over 21 years when he signed the bond. or not) and recognised it as his property and so The brother's evidence was given in the course placed it to his account and credit. (3) That of a legal proceeding ten years ago, and there the plaintiff was not guilty of any misrepresenta | could be no object in giving a false age. Now

In this sait His Lordship gave judgment tion in inducing the defendants to attorn to him, the evidence given after litigation by the mother as follows This suit was commenced in for they did so under instructions from Bombay, and nurse must be received with suspicion. On Feb. 1983, and was heard by me without a jury and at plaintiff's request, undertook to sell the question as to the amount of money and at plaintiff's request, undertook to sell the devanced, whilst feeling the force of much that tiff resides at Batavia and trades there under tion that can arise is that which arises from a was urged upon me as to the rate of interest between the trade of the contract of the cont the style of Johannes & Co. The defendants defective title, for a bailor impliedly warrants ing so low, and noother gain admitted to be obtainare a mercantile firm in Hongkong. They that he has a good one. Sheridan v. New Quay ed, and the youth of the defendant, who was an trade under the name of David Sassoon, Sons Co. 4 C.B. N.S. 618. But the plaintiff claims expectant heir, nevertheless I am satisfied that & Co. There is also a firm in Bombay of David that the defendants are in the position of bailors the balance of testimony is in favour of the Sassoon & Co., and on the 28th July, 1882, the and are estopped from saying "the opium is not plaintiff, and that the defendant actually got Bombay firm wrote to the plaintiff as fol. yours"-and Stonerty. Dankin and another, 2 the money which the plaintiff says he did, lows:—"Messrs. J. M. Johannes & Co, Bata-via.—At the request of Hadji Mahomed one who has received property "from another as circumstances as pointed out about the evi-Hassin Abooshire, and M. Morad Nissim of his bailee or agent or servent must restore or dence as to the money being in plaintiff's Bushire, we are instructing our Hongkong account for that property to him from whom he hands from certain property, the drawing received it." Biddle v. Bond 6 B and S 225, of the promissory note, and the witnesses to it and the bond, that the money was paid however. I am satisfied The defendant must opium, not from the plaintiff as bailor but from pay in addition to what he has already paid into Court a sum that makes up the amount to in Persia. They transferred it to plaintiff under \$2,567.68, together with interest at 8 per cent. instructions, apparently not knowing whether from the date to which it was last calculated. On the 19th August, 1832, plaintiff answered there was a sale or what arrangement was The defendant will also give up the promissory

> SUMMARY OF THE ." KWANG-PAO." 6th February.

The Kwang-pay gives a series of news from

The Magistrates of Ch'en An Haien, Ch'ing Feng Hsien, and other districts have been degraded, some on account of neglect of duty.

Owing to the number of the military candidates for examination in the capital two more days have been added to the usual time, so as to enable the examiners to test the competitors in all branches of military tactics.

An Kwang has been appointed Brigadier General of the White Banner force. Chinese

His Majesty the Emperor has sanctioned the recommendation made by Tseng Kuo-chuan that Colonel Chu Pung chang, stationed in Yunnan, should be altowed to vacate his post

on account of ill health. Fu Shen is appointed Brigader General of the Manchu forces at Foochow.

A decree has been issued that investigation should be made for the arrest and punishment of the parties concerned in the imposition committed during the examinations of the prefecture

CANTON NEWS. On the 5th instant, the Reorganization Board.

the mining office, and the likin offices resumed the transaction of public business, after a short interval of rest consequent upon the new year

The Nanhai Magistrate has issued a proclamation notifying candidates that the examinations will commence on the 28th of this moon.

While the officials were proceeding to the Eastern suburbs followed by the grand procession on the first day of spring, a number of children began to palt the company with stones. Orders were at once given for the arrest of the disrespectful lads, but with no effect, as

A woman makes application to the authorities for a divorce, but the reasons assigned not being considered valid, she was ordered to re-

A man who has gone abroad receives news of the elopoment of his wife. The foreign Leggars alluded to some time back

be sent to their respective countries and homes. The police make a raid upon a gambling house, but on penetrating in the interior they found it vacant: the gamblers having received information of the forthcoming visit of the preservers.

Precautions have been taken for the safety of the passage boats between Chiang-men and Chen Tsun, a steam-launch furnished with guns having been engaged to tow the passenger boats.

COMMERCIAL INTELLICENCE.

FRIDAY, 8th February. EXPORT CARGOES.

Per steamship Patroclus, sailed on the 3rd Pebruary :- For London-8.484 lbs. congou. 3.645 empty quicksilver flasks, 375 cases preserves, 238 rolls matting, 30 bales cames, 9 cases chinaware, 4 cases silk piece goods, and 3 boxes sundries. From Manila-2,500 bales hemp, 240 bags coffee, and 23 cases cigars. Per steamship Diomed, sailed on the 6th February :-- For Lond n-12 packages tea, 6

cases fans, and 4 cases preserves.

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ence shows the inconsistency and injustice of his | SOVERHIGNS Quotations are:--Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares-172 per cent, premium. sales. Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limited-\$120 per share. China Traders' Insurance Company's Shares-

180 per share, sales and sellers. North China Insurance—Tis. 2974 per *hare. Yangtaze Insurance Association—11s. 974 per Chinese Insurance Company, Limited—\$165 per

\$375 per abare, males.

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SHANGHAI VIA AMOY

FOR SWATOW AND BANGKOK.

THE Steamship "NINGPO." Captain F. Schulz, will be despatched for the above Port TO-DAY, the 9th instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, 7th February, 1889.

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"BISAGNO." will be despatched as above TO-DAY, the 9th inst., instead of as previously advertised. VICTORIA'S DOCK. For Further Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co.,

Hongkong, 5th February, 1889. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW. I I HE Company's Steamship

"HAILOONG." Captain Roach, will be despatched for the CAPITAL TWO MILLION DOLLARS. shove Ports TO-MORROW, the 10th inst., at I HE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA. CO For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIR & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 7th February, 1-89. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. THE Company's Steamship "DEUCALION, Captain Asquith, will be despatched as above FO-MORROW, the 10th inst. Passengers for Europe desiring to proceed

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BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 6th February, 1889. "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE, AND

YOKOHAMA. THE Steamship "CARDIGANSHIRE," will be despatched for the above Ports TO MORROW, the 10th instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 4th February, 1889.

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA DIRECT. ITTHE Company's Steamship

"ZAFIRO." Captain McCaslin, will be despatched for the above Port on MONDAY, the 11th instant, at FOUR P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to

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STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained en COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, HODEL DAH, MASSANA, SUAKIM JEDDAH, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, AND TRIESTE. --Taking Cargo at through rates to CALCUTTA

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SEA, LEVANT & ADRIATIC POETS). THE Company's Steamship "MARIA TERESA," Captain E Cossovieb, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 12th inst. at NOON. For Further Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply to the Agency of the Com-

pany, Praya Central. O. BACHRACH, Hongkong, 4th February, 1889.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for Ningpo, Chefoo, Newchwag, Tientsin, HANKOW, and Ports on the YANGTSZE.)

"MENELAUS." Captain Nelson, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 12th inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 4th February, 1889.

AUSTAU & Co.

FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L. I. I. American Ship "STATE OF MAINE," G. Smull, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have a quick despatch.

Hongkong, 20th December, 1885.

For Freight, apply to

"STRATHLEVEN." Captain C. W. Pearson, will be despatched for the above Port on MONDAY, the 18th inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

VESSELS ON THE BERTH. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

On 13th inst., at 1 P.M.

On 21st inst., at Noon

Quick despatch.

To-day, at 2 P.M.

To-day, at 4 P.M.

On 11th inst., at 4 P.P.

To morrow, daylight

To-day, at 8 A.M.

On or about 17th inst

On 16th inst. dayligh

Quick despatch.

On 18th inst.

To-morrow.

On 12th inst.

On 19th inst.

On 14th inst.

FOR SHANGHAL for Ningpo, Cheroo, Newchwang, Tientsin, HANKOW, and PORTS on the YANGTEZE.) THE Company's Steamship "AUHILLES.

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"ANTENOR." Captain Grier, will be despatched as above on DEY THURSDAY, the 14th inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 6th February, 1889. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

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N SUNDAY, the 17th day of February, AMERICAN PORTS up to CALLAO. Taking same will be received by us until 5 P.M. the U 1889, at 10 A.M., the Company's Steamship "BRAUNSCHWEIG," Captain Bodeker, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO will leave this Port as above, Calling AT GENOA.

Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Cargo will be received on Board until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until 1 P.M., on the 16th Feb., 1889. (Parcels are not to be sent on Board; they must be left at the Agency's Office): Contents and Value of Packages are

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LONDON, HAVRE, BORDEAUX. N WEDNESDAY, the 20th February I at Noon, the Company's Steamship "MELBOURNE," Commandant Vimont, with

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G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, 8th February, 1889.

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THE AMERICAN MAILS. The P. M. steamer City of Peking, with the American mail of the 15th January, leaves Yoko hama to day, and is due here on or about the 15th

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the 16th inst. The O. & O. stenmer Arabic, with the Arrest can mail, left San Francisco on the 24th January, and is due here on the 28th instant

THE CANADIAN MAIL The C. P. steamer Parthia, with the Can line mail, left Vancouver on the 22nd January. STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The Glen Line steamer Glenlyon left Singapore on the 2nd, and is due here on the 9th inst. The Austro-Hungarian Lloyd's steamer Maria Teresa left Singapore on the 2nd, and is due here on the 9th instant. The Shire Line steamer Cardiganshire left

Singspore on the 2nd, and is due here on the 9th instant. The P. & O. extra steamer Khive left Singapore on the 7th, and is due here on the 13th inst. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Menclaus left Singapore on the 3rd, and is due here on the 10th

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57 The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given

A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Swatow and Bangkok.-Per Kong Beng, to-day, the 9th inst., at 7.30 A.M. For Straits and Bombay -- Per Risagno, today, the 9th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Kobe, Yokohama, and Vancouver, B.C. -Per Batawia, to-day, the 9th inst., at 11.30

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inst., at 5.00 P.M.For Amoy and Manila.—Per Zafiro, ou Monday, the 11th inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama -- Per Ancona, on Friday, the 15th inst., at 5.6. MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACK ... The British Contract Packet Penins all wall

be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 13th instant, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, via Brindisi: to the Straits Settlements, Netherlands : Va. Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and The usual hours will be observed in closing: the Mails, Sc.

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 \mathbf{A} Trust During dinner that evening the conversation had turned on modern music. Yorkshire folk are, with rare exceptions, musical, and those who are not musical are expected, at all events, to be able to take their part in a conversation about music. Someone had spoken about old English as an aside to his uncle:

Jeremish, simply.

" Sally in our Alley -but I must say you take slow time in getting to the last verse. Then be hummed the words:

"And when my seven long years are out, Oh, then I'll marry Sally! And then how happily we'll live, But not in our Alley."

Then it was that the blood had rushed migthe manufacturer's temples, a rush of blood locwhich startled him.

ties. No, never before had he imagined that man, though born at Elbour." this was possible.

od forth from her, guileless of the pain to which if the Baynes family failed? she occasioned him whom she beckened to her. was an old-at all events an elderly man, his age safe, in an impregnable situation. five and fifty, and Salome was but twenty. He had passed the grand climateric when she was born. Could be, dare he, love her, except with

this man in the decline of life had tasted also. Jeremiah's face whilst she spoke to him of her for his feelings, lest Salome should suspect affected him. what was passing within him. "Salome, my child," he said, "those Sidebottoms ver me beyond endurance. What do shadow of a suspicion of their real nature entered of the alchemist to transmute one metal into

you think! They served up a really sumptuous dinner on a table covered with a sheet." "A sheet—from a bed!" "A sheet, not a table cloth. It was charac-

"Has that unset you?" "No-not that. But, Salome, I have been considering how it would be, were this factory. after I am no more, to fall into such hands as those of the ninny captain."

"There is Mr. Philip," soid the girl. "l'bilip---!" the manufacturer paused. "Philip-I hardly consider him as one of the family. His father behaved outrageously." "But for all that he is your nephew."

"Of course he is, by name and blood, but-I do not like him

"You do not know him, uncle." "That is true: but----"

"But he is your nearest relative."

his head in his hands. silence he said, in a tone of self-justification: "I my respect for humanity, through you as a can never forgive my half-brother Nichelas." accent of repreach in her voice; nevertheless Jeremiah took her words as conveying a reproach. "I do not mean," he said, apologetically, " that I allowed him to die unforgiven, but that his

man, but I cannot forgive his act." "Philip, however," said Salome, "is the son the man, and not of his mistake. Jeremiah was touched, and winced: ng! would not show it. " My brother Nicholas act. in such a manner as to produce an estrangement

that has, and will have lastingly influenced our relations. Philip I saw at his father's funeral which I attended-which," he repeated the sentence, "which I attended." The girl said no more. She knew that Jere- one can upset its disposition mish was not a man to brook interference, and

she was well aware that this was a matter in | careless P" which she had no right to interfere. But he was not satisfied with so slight a word of self-justification; he returned to the topic, with his face turned from her, looking into the fire. "It was thoughtless, it was wicked. The mill my wishes." was left between us, burdened with a certain charge for my half-sister; and Nicholas never took

the smallest interest in the business. I did the work; he drew his share. He got into the hands of a swindling speculator, who fired his imagination with a scheme for converting the desert of | iron safe, and not confided to her trembling hands. Salara into a vast_inland sea, the company to have the monopoly of the trade round its shores My brother's head was turned, and he insisted on withdrawing his share from the mill. He would sell his share-draw all his money out of the concern, and pitch it wherever Schofield— I mean wherever it was most likely to be engulfed and yield no return. I remonstrated night, my child. pointed out to my brother the folly of the scheme, the danger to me. I had no wish to into partnership with me. I must buy my brother out myself. I did this at a moment when money was dear, and also at a time when it was -I was as nearly brought to bankruptcy as a through his great coat. man can be without actually stopping. Your About a quarter-of-an-hour after he had

heart. We never met again. We no longer that contained his will in her hand. corresponded. As for his son, I. knew nothing of him. I had seen him as a boy. I did not see him again till he was a man, at his father's fire. But, surely, you are not going out P" grave. If Nicholas had considered my prejudices, as I suppose he would call them, he pour of rain all day that I have not taken my would not have put Philip in a solicitor's office, enstomary constitutional. I cannot sleep. knowing, as he must have known, my mistrust | night is fine, and I shall go for a stroll on the of lawyers. I will not say that I would not canal bank? bave given him a place with me had Nicholas

asked for it, but he was either too proud to stoop to request a favour of me, or his old prejudice is another matter. My brain is on fire: I must against trade survived his ruis." "Philip may be good and sensible, and a nephew to be proud of. How can you tell uncled that he is not, when you do not know him P".

"He has chosen his profession now. He is a

does not say when; but those dreadful Prussians are making their way to Ronen in spite of the the rain. wonderful stand made by General Faidherbe and the heroic conduct of his troops. Janet says there, by the canal. Good night. that she wonders how any soldiers can stand ! to volunteer to fight for the country of his na. Good night, dear Salome. Mind the will tivity and adoption, so dear Janet is alone, and It is a trust." Albert has adviced her to take refuge in Eng. Then he went out. land till the tyraruv be over. But Janet savs she is in hourly expectation that the Prussians

will be out manouvred, surreguled, and out to

pieces, and, much as she hate; the enemies, her i

spell her name in the French way, Jeannette."

is already causing consternation amongst the necum do not assist us in untying. Prussians. She says that she has seen it stated that if they cry, they will invoke Gambetta." "Janet will certainly be here shortly," said

Jeremiah. "The war can only go one way." "I shall be de ighted to see my derling sieter, and yet sorry for the occasion of her visit. She casioned partly by anger at boing made the wills me that the factories are all stopped. The subject of a joke, and partly by the suggestion, hands are new engaged in the defence of their country. Ob, uncle! what would happen to Ja-

on fire and drive a man to madness. That little happen to Janet were her husband to be carried remark had produced in Jeremiah an effect off, the question forced itself upon his thought, tainty, reckon on being left to a solitary and that leaped in "folses" and wriggled and dived greater than Lambert could have calculated. What would become of Salome were he to fall barren decline of life, after he had come late to among the hills, and cleft themselves roads, to his mother went very near the truth when sick, and be unable to defend himself against his appreciate the warmth and amenities of domestic the east or to the west, to reach the sea. The rebuked-him for saying what he had. From half-sister. He was perfectly conscious of Mrs. association; after he had enjoyed them a sufficient the coforth Jeremiah could no longer look at Sidebottom's object in coming to Mergatroyd, number of years to esteem them indispensable. Salome in the old light; she was no more a and he was quite sure that in the event of para. He re-called the dead and meagre existence he under the ambankments, and to coze up through child to him, and he no more an old man beyond lysis, or any griovous sickness taking him, his had led before he received the little girls and the soil in all directions in countless prepressible world and secrebes all men. In Wagner's great | thority therein. He was sure that this would hap. | the prospect of recurring to it. He could not opera of the Valkyrie, Brunnhild is represented pen idevitably; and bewas not at all certain how she disguise from himself that if he lost Salome, asleep, engirdled by a ring of fire, and Sigurd, would behave to Salome. Mrs. Cusworth was a everything that gave zest, and interest to life who tries to reach her, can only do so by fe ble woman, unable to dispute the ground with would be taken away from him. He would be passing through the flame, and to render it in one so pertinacions, and armed with so good a forced to revert to the hard uniformity of his nocuous he sings the wondrous fire-spell song right, as Mrs. Sidebottom. What friends had previous existence; but that thought was reand the flame leaps and declines, and finally goes Salome? She had none but himself. Her sister's pugnant to him. Most men look back on their out to the cadences of the spell. But Jersmish house was about to be entered by the enemy, her childhood or to college days as a period of exubenow found himself caught in the Waberlohe that sister to be a refugee in England. The factories rant vitality and unspoiled delight. To but few enringed Salome, knowing no incantation by at Elbour were stopped; it was uncertain how is it not given to begin their Book of Genesia which to abate its ardour; whilst she sat un. the war, when it rolled away, would leave the with Paradiso, flowing with sparkling riverconscious of the peril to which she subjected manufacturers, whether trade that had been stopothers, of the magic that surrounded and stream. ped on the Seine would return thither. What with edours. Sooner or later all are cast out

Would it not be advisable to secure to Salome a reminiscence. To some more than to others Jeremiah was caught by the flame, it curled a home and position by making her his wife? the smell of the flowers clings through life. The round him, and he writhed in its embrace. He Then, whatever happened to him, she would be youth and early manhood of Jeremiah had been

" Yes, uncle." She looked up anxiously. She had not let him; and allowed him a look in. What would be the the simple love of a parent for a child? But see that she was aware that he was in trouble of end of life to him if Salome were taken away for could be love her thus any longer now that his mind, and yet she knew it though she did not As his health and powers of resistance failed, his eyes were opened, and he had discovered the con. guess its character. Hers was one of those house would be invaded by the Sidebottoms, perdition of his own heart? When Adam had tasted sympathetic natures that feels a disturbance of of the Tree of Knowledge his childlike simplicity equilibrium, as the needle in a magnetometer would wrangle over his savings, and hold him was gone, and he made himself coverings to hide | vibrates and ree's when to the gross human eye he suggest to Salome that she should be hi himself from himself and from others. So now, there is naught to occasion it. She had watched wife? He did not shut his eyes to their disparity and at once was filled with shame at himself, and sister, and was surprised and pained to notice he sought out evasion of the truth, a disguise how little Janet's calamities and auxieties.

> What was the matter with him? What were the thoughts that preoccupied his mind? Not a hor innocent oul. " Dear uncle," she said, when she had waited

> for a remark, after he had called her attention. and had waited in vain. "What is it?" " Nothing." He had recoiled in time. On the very varge

of speaking he had arrested himself. "Uncle," she said, "I am sure you are no well, either in body or in mind. He stood up, went out of the room, without

Salome looked after him in surprise and alarm. Was he going off his head. She heard him as cend the stairs to his study, and he returned from embrace, admitting the touch of her lips. it almost immediately. He re-entered the room shrank from her innocent endearments as though with a long blue sealed on velope in his hand. "Look at this, my child, and pay great atten | coinage and received in another value. Were

weighing on me-no, not altogether unaccount able. for I can trace it back to the society in alter her and change her sweet affection for him Mr. Pennycomequick was silent. He returned which I have been. It has left me with a mis to his chair and reseated himself: not now lean. I trust of the honesty and sincerity of everyone in ing back, with his arms folded on his breast, but the world, of everyone, that is-but you; you bont forward, with his elbows on his knees and -he touched her copper-gold head lightly with a shaking hand, "you I cannot mistrust, you-He looked into the fire. After full five minutes! It would kill me to mistrust. I hold to life, to

golden chain. Salome, I have a great trust to "Yet he is dead," said the girl. There was no confide to you, and I do it because I know no one him, the man employed to walk around and else in whom I can place reliance. This is my will, and I desire you to take charge of it. commit it to your oustody. Put it where it may burglars. be safe, and where you may know where to lay conduct was inexcusable. I have pardened the hand on it when it shall be wanted." "But, uncle, why not leave it with your lawyer.

"I have no lawyer," he answered sharply. " have never gone to law, and thrown good money after bad. You know my dislike for lawyers I wrote my will with my own hand after your sister married, and I flatter myself that no wit of an or rascality of lawyers can pervert it. can set down in plain English what my intentions are as to the disposal of my property, so that anyone can understand my purpose, and no "But, uncle-why should I have it who am so

"You are not careless. I trust you. I have perfect confidence that what is committed to you you will keep, whether the will concerns you or not. I wish you to have it, and you will obey

He put the paper into her reluctant hands, and waited for her to say smething. Her cheeks were flushed with mingled concern for him and tear for herself. Such a valuable deed she thought ought to have been kept in his strong

He put his hand on her shoulder. "Thank you, Salome," he said. "You have | ticle of traffic. There was not a cottage in Penny relieved my mind of a great anxiety.' "And now, uncle, you will go to bed ?" He stood, with his hand still on her shoulder. besitatingly. "I don't know: I am not sleepy.

He thought further. "Yes, I will go. Good Then he left the room, ascended the stairs passed through h. study into his bedchamber have some man, of whom I knew nothing, thrust | beyond, where he turned down the clothes, and threw off his dress coat and waistcoat, and then cast himself on the bed:

His brain was in a whirl. He could not retire necessary to provide the mill with new ma. to rest in that condition of excitement. He chinery, or be left in the lurch in the manu: | would toss on his bed, which would be one of facture of figured damasks. I had to borrow nettles to him. He left it, stood up, drew on a the money. Slackness set in, and God knows! knitted cardigan jersey, and then put his arms broad basin, banked on north and south by low

father come to my aid. But I had several years mounted to his room he descended the stairs flank, built about the hill slope, and grouped of terrible struggle, during which bitter resent. again, and then he encountered Salome once about a church with an Italian spire perched on ment against my brother Nicholas grew in my more, leaving the little puriour with the envelope "What! You not gove to bed. Salome?" No. uncle, I have been dreaming ver the

"Yes, I am. There has been such a down

"But, uncle, it is past twelve o'clock." "High time for you to be in bed. For me. it take a composing draught of fresh night air.". "But, uncle---

"Do not remain up longer. I have acted inconsiderately in keeping you from your bed so long. Go to sleep speedily, and do not trouble lawyer, and so his line of life leads away from yourself about me. I have my latch key, and tow path along the former; but the high-road will let myself in. The gas shall remain turned bad deserted the valley and ran on the top of the Then ensued silence, broken at length by down in the hall. I am slways upset unless I hill. Neither canal nor river were of orystaline have a walk during the day, and the sheets of purity, or of ordinary cleanness; for into them "Uncle," she said, "I have had a letter from rain that poured down have kept me a prisoner. The mills and dye-works discharged their odorous dear Janet, and what do you think? She is Lishall not be out for long. I will cool my head and discoloured refuse water, dense with oil and coming to England, and most likely to us. She and circulate my blood, under the starry sky." pigment, with impurities of every description moment. He knew what the bursting of the re-"But you will find the roads sloppy after and degree of nastiness. Fish had long ago de- servoir implied. He knew that he had not time to

She held up her innovent, sweet face for the

CHAPTER IV. ON THE TOW PATES There are points, eccasions on life's journey chief anxiety is that the French may not forget when our guides fail us, and these points as di to act with humanity in the moment of victory. occasions are neither few nor far between. The tanta, as the savour of petroleum belongs to vast crowd that swept along the road from Paris . Hongkong, 25th Optober, 1883.

French is superb. The way in which every man every hitch, and when a hitch occurs we discover ley, slood a huge, gaunt, five-storied mill for prayers! We labour for many a year with taut ballads whereupon Captain Lambert had said, has flown to arms at the call of his country is that precisely this one is unnoted in our book cloth and serge, commonly known as "Mitchells"." nerve, and ambition keenly, unswervingly set on unparalleled. She says that the Emperor was We are provided with moral vade mecums Every window in Mitchell's mill was alight this some object. We hope for it, we entreat for it, "No one can doubt what is your favourite song." the cause of the disasters that have occurred which are to serve us in all contingencies, but hight for it was running incessantly. Trade and it is as though the heavens were brass, and "There you have the advantage of me," said bitherto, but that France has found a man of are arrested at every hundred paces by some in cloth and serge was brick on account of the our prayers could not pierce them, or as if it almost superhuman genius, called Gambetta, who knot which the instructions in our vade- Franco-German war. What is a man's loss is were indifferent to our desires; it is as though a Jeremiah now found himself in a predicament France produced the rattle of the looms in and took pleasure in thwarting every wish, and

produce a deep and general impression that least of all in figured damasks.

whose beds are gold, rich with flowers, redolent through the gates, and there is no return; only joyless, spent among briars and thorns, and only late had he found the gates of Eden, and the cherub with a smile had withdrawn his sword, haps also by the unknown Philip, and they a prisoner within his own walls. But-dare

in age, to the fact that her regard for him was of a totally different texture from such as a maneracts of a wife. Would it be possible to change filial into marital love? Was it not as prepos terous of him to expect it as was the infatuation Then again, would not his proposal shake, it did not shatter, her respect. forfeit that precious love she now tendered him with both hands without stint? By asking for what she could not give, would be not lose that which he had already, like the dog that dropped the meat anapping at a shadow, and so leave him in atter destitution. The harbour of the thought of change of relations had affected the quality of his intercourse with her, had clouded its serenit disturbed its simplicity. It had provented him from meeting her frank eye, from receiving her

he had no right to receive them, tendered in one tion to me. An unaccountable depression is he to communicate to her the thought that for-I mented within him, would not the yeasty microbe nto something that might be repagnance? He drew a laboured breath.

"I am in a sore strait." he groundd. "I hnow not what to do. Would to heaven that my course were determined for ma. He had reached the townath beside the canal. " Good-night, sir."

He was startled. The night watch had met through the factories at all hours of the night. on the look-out against fire, on guard against "Good-night sir: Just been on the bank to

look at the river. Very full, and swelling instead of going down. Lot of rain fallen of late. Cold for the gold-fish-yonder."----"Good-night," answered the manufacturer I also want to see the river. There is more

He pointed to the western sky. "The river is rising rapidly, said the man, but there's no barm can take Pennyonick'slies too high." Jeremiah's factory went by his surp we, but contracted by the people through

ision of a syllable. There the man passed on his way, rattling his koys. The fold-fish! What did he mean? Outside the wall of Mr. Pennycomequick's factory was a 100l, into which the waste steam and boiling water from the engine discharged, and this pool was always hot. It swarmed with gold fish. At some time or other, no one knew when or by whom, a few, perhaps only a pair, had been thrown in, and now the little natch of water was throughd with fish. They throve, they multiplied therein. The mill girls cast crumbs to them from their breakfast and dinuers, and were allowed to

in glass globes, but not to make of them an ar-

Jeremiah saw that the overflow from the river had resched this little pool and converted it into a lake, chilling the steamy waters at the same slope of the hill that formed the northern bounthe Scottish border. After a tortuous course beplaces scarce room in the bottom for road, rail annal to run side by side, it burst forth into a hills of yellow sandstone, overlying coal. Some way down this shallow trough, on the northern pillers, stood Margatroyd. There the valley

superincumbent masses; nevertheless it was so The pressure, however, did not always fall on gravel equally compact; this resulted in subsidences. Few walls had not cracked at some time, most were banded with iron, and not a chimney stood exactly, perpendicular.

The canal and river ran side by side, with a

of oil and dve. the garment, the hair, the breath of the inhali cendiar flood, like the rumble and mutter of that at a moderate rate.

She says that the affair at Amiens was quite signposts that might instruct us are either ille- Baku, and the spice of orange flowers and roses to Verssilles on the memorable fifth of October misropresented by the English papers, that gible or have not been set up. The form 'g of is appropriated to the Riviers.

I had been a splendid victory, and only a determination is of vital importance, but the Far away in the North-West, above the bound-down the valley, swaying the trees, and so chill retired in pursuance of a masterly plan he had material on which to form a determination is with ary hill, the sky throbbed with light from the iron | that when it touched Jeremiah as he ran, it conceived of drawing the Prussians on, so as to drawn from us, as the straw was taken from the furnaces seven miles distant, where coal and iron seemed to benetrate to his hones and curdle his

envelop them and crush them at one blow. Israelites when they were ordered to make bricks. were dug out of the same beds, and the one served blood. It was a blast the ttravelled with the ad-Mercover, Janet says that this blow is expected. We buy a map and start on our journey, and to fuse the other, as in the human breast various vancing volume of water, a little forestalling it, to fall ut any moment, and to show how therough come to branch roads which are not set down. | qualities are found which tond to temper, purify as the lightning forestalls the thunder, a partisan she is even to me she has begun to The map is antiquated and no longer service able. and turn to service the one the other. The flames Mr. Pennycomequick saw before him the We buy a legal compendium which is to obviate that leaped up from the furnaces as thirsty roll shelter but of the locksman on the embankment, "Janet likely to come to us!" exclaimed having recourse to lawyers, and when we entitle from the Keld-dale a shelter but that had been erected as a proteccounter a difficulty, turn to it for enlightenment, bottom under Mergatroyd, but the reflection was tion again rain and wind and frost. It was of "Only in the event, which she says is more and find that precisely this question is passed over a wide tract of cloud, and shone with brick, and the only chance of escape that offered than problematical, of the enemy occupying We purchase a manual of domestic medicine rythmetic flash, as an auroral display. High up lay in a scramble to the roof. Rouen. She tells me that the spirit of the to cut off the necessity of calling in a doctor at the river, at right angles to the axis of the wal. How mysterious is it with our wishes and our

many mothers still their children with the threat fork in life's road, and he was unable to form a Frenchman's or a German's uniform put a so- long for. At snother time, hardly knowing admitted Partners in our Firm on let January judgment whether to turn to the left hand or vereign into the pocket of a cloth weaver in Eng- what we say, not calculating how what we ask last. By his own generosity he had rendered his Business was brisk among the cloth-workers. to advance its fulfilment, we form a wish, vague

Salome would be treated with at least equal li. An unusual downpour of rain had taken place, accomplished berality in the event of her marriage. An ad- lasting continuously forty eight hours. The "Would to heaven," Jeremiah Pennycome-Never before that moment had the thought net if anything befel Albert Victor? Doyou think mirr might hesitate to offer for a portionless very windows of Heaven seemed to have been quick had said twice that night on the tow-path, occurred to him that it was possible for him to he was right to leave his wife and take up arms girl, however charming in feature and perfect in coened; at sunset the sky had partially cleared. hardly meaning what he said, saying it because bind Salame to him by the closest and surest of as a franc-tirenr? He is not really a Franch. mind, a because necessarily mercenary in his but there were still lumbering masses of cloud he was in perplexity, not because he desired ideas, but because he would know that as single drifting over the face of Heaven, as icebergs extraneous help out of it. "Would to heaven," favourable terms, To ber surprise, Salome saw that her old friend life is impossible without means of supporting it, detached from the mighty wall of black vapour he had said, "that my course were determined How one word starts a train of ideas. As a was not attending to what she was saying. He so double line, containing in itself the promise of that still remained in the west, built up halfway for me," and at once, that same night, within an spark falling on thatch may cause a conflagra- was not thinking of her sister any more. He was development into a number of supplemental to the senith over the great dersal range, a range hour, Heaven had responded to the call. tion, so may a word carelessly dropped set blood thinking about her. When she asked what would lives, is proportionately impossible. that arrested the exhalations from the Atlantic Jeremiah might, accordingly, with almost cer. and condensed them into a thousand streams

To-night the Keld was very full, so swollen as to have overflowed, or rather to have dived FITHE Steamship the reach of that flame that sweeps round the half-sister would invade his house and assume and the into his house, and he sickened at springs, transforming the paddocks into ponds, Captain Voltmer, having arrived from the above and the fields into lugoons. The tow-path was the only walk that was not

> had fallen on it had drained-or, as the local expression had it, sined away. Along this tow-path Jeremish walked with his hands behind his back, brooding over his and expense. difficulties, seeking a solution that escaped him. If he remained silent, he must be content in a year or two to surrender Saloine to another. If he spoke, he might lose her immediately and completely; for were she to refuse him she must

at once withdraw from under his roof and remain estranged from him permanently. But-what if she were to accept him? He who was nearly thrice her age? And what if in the event of her accepting him, her heart were to wake up and love another? Had he any right to subject; her to such a risk, to impose on her such a trial? Would there not be a sacrifice of his own self-respect were he to offer himself to her? Would the love he would demand of her, given hesitatingly, as a duty, forced and uncertain, make up to him for the frank, ready, apontaneous guch of love which

surrounded him at present? "I am in a strait," said Jeremich Pennycomequick, again. "Would to Heaven that the de- ITHE Company's Steamship cision were taken out of my hands, and deter-

ended with the daylight. The field he would delivery may be obtained. was allowed to flow through the hatch. He cognized could just see, below in the black gulf, a phosphorescent, or apparently phosphorescent be left in the Godowns, where they will be exhalo; it was the foam caused by the fall of the water jet, reflecting the starlight overhead. As Jeremiah thus stood, irresolute, looking at

occurred which roused his attention and woke The water in the causi, usually glassy and DAY. waveless, suddenly rose, as the besom rises at a long inhalation, and rolled like a tidal wave over the top of the gates, and fell into the gulf below with a startling crash, as though what

aad fallen were lead, not water. What was the cause of this? Jeremiah had heard that on the occasion of an earthquake such a wave was formed in the sea, and rushed up the shore, without premonition.

But he had felt no shock, and—really—a petty canal could hardly be supposed to act in such even s like the ocean. Jeremiah turned to retrace his steps along the path; and he had not gone far before he saw something else that equally surprised him. In the valley, about two miles above, war as already said, Mitchell's Mill, lying athwart it.

like a huge stranded Nosh's Ark. It had five stories, and in each storey were twenty windows on the long sides; that made just one hundred windows towards the East, towards Jeremiah one hundred yellow points of light, against the sombre background of cloud that enveloped the

The night was not absolutely dark; there was ome light in the sky above the clouds from stars, and a crescent moon, which latter was hidden, but it was not sufficient to have revealed Mitchell's without the illumination from within. Here and there a silvery vaporous light fell through the interstices of the clouds, sufficient to give perspective to the night scene, insufficient to disclose anything. Now Mitchell's was distinguishable as five superimposed rows

of twenty stars of equal size and lustre. All at once, suddenly as if a black ourtain had fallon over the scene, all these stars were FITHE DIVIDEND at the Bate of 7 per eclipsed—not one by one, not in rows, by turns. but altogether, instantaneously and completely. per Share declared at the Ordinary Half-yearly snuffed out at one snip, and with the extinction | Meeting of Shareholders held This Day will be Mitchell's fell back into the common obscurity, PAYABLE at the Hongkong & Shanghai net some occasionally for their private keeping and was no more seen than if it had been blotted BANKING CORPORATION, on and after MON-

out of existence. "Stopped "exclaimed Mr. Pennycomognick. quick's Fold that had not such a vessel in the involuntarily. "That is queer. I thought they Office of the Company for Warrants. were at full-pressure, running night and day."

What followed increased his perplexity. He heard the steam whistle of Mitchell's shrill forth in palpitating, piercing call, not time. Mergatroyd town or village stood on the briefly, as if to give notice that work was ove not peremptorily, as signalling for a new batch dary of Keld-dale. The Keld ross in that range of hands to replace such as were released; not of limestone mountains that divides Laucashire insistingly, as calling out of sleep, but with a from Yorkshire, and runs from Derbyshire to prolonged and growing intensity, with ful force of steam, rising in volumes to the highest tween high and broken hills, folding in on each pitch, as though Mitchell's great bulk were other like the teeth of a rat trap leaving in attering a shrick of infinite panic and acute pain And then, from the hillside, where stood another mill, called Poppleton's, howled a "syren" -another contrivance invented by a perverse ingenuity to create the greatest possible noise of troubled by the throat. Sold by all Chemists in the worst possible quality.

"Surely there must be a fire," said Jeremiali. "only bless me ! I see no flames anywhere." Then he heard a tramp, the tramp of a gallopspread to the width of a mile, and formed a great ing horse, on the tew-path, and he stood aside so bed of gravelly deposit of unreckened depth. A las not to be ridden over. A parting in the clouds couple of spade-grafts below the surface, water let down a soft grey light that made the surfaces was reached; yet on this gravel stood most of of water into sheets of steel, and converted the the factories and their tall chimneys. The nature | canal into a polished allver skewer. Along, down of these ilforbade sinking for foundations. A coord the tow-path, came the horse. Jeremish could ingly these were laid on the surface, the walls, and just distinguish a black travelling spot. He even the chimneys, being reared on slabs of sand waited, and presently saw that a man was riding stone laid on the ground. It might seem incredible and controlling the horse, and this man drew rein that such fragile stone slates should support such somewhat as he saw Jeremiah, and hallooed. "Get back : get back! Holroyd reservoir has burst." Then slong the tow-path he continued at accelerated speed, and disappeared in the dark-

ness in the direction of the locks. The alarm bell on the roof of "Pennyquicks" began to jaugle. The news had reached the night watch, and he was rousing the operatives who lived in the mill-fold. Then the "busser "of the yarn-spinning factors brayed, and the shoddy mill uttered a busky hoot. Lights started up. and voices were audible, shouting, orving. What was to be done? Jeremiah Pennyoomennick considered for a

serted these waters, and if an occasional cel was retrace the path he had taken to its junction with "The tow-path will be dry. I am going caught it was inedible so strongly did it taste the road. He was at that point where the valley expanded to its fullest width, and where the great-The Yorkshire towns and rivers have their est space intervened between him and the hillagainst an army commanded by a man-devil, for kies he had neglected to give her a quarter of special "bouquet" which does not receive fa- sid. Here the level fields were all under water that is what the Prussian general is named an hour ago, when he left the room. He half vourable appreciation by a stranger; it is not a a d before he could cross them, wading, may be She says that Albert Victor has felt it his duty stooped, then turned away without kissing her. | fluctuating savour like that pervading the neight to his knee, the descending wave would be upon bourhood of Crosse and Blackwell's in Oxford. him. He looked towards the looksman's cottage; street, which is at one time redolent of rast that offered no security, even if he could reach berries and another pungent with mixed pickles; it in time, for it lay low and would be immesummer and winter, spring and fall alike, the distely end ergod. He turned, and ran down | RARS. STAINFIELD. 55. Queen's Road same dyes, the same oil, and the same horrible the path towards the locks, and as he ran IVE East, has PRIVATE BOARD and RE. Planting Companies, and other commercial detergents, are employed, and constitute a per he heard behird him-not the roar, for roar sink now manent all pervading efficient that clings to there were more but the rumble of the des- Good Accommodation, well furnished Rooms clamations and Notifications published by

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(To be continued.)

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He had reached the locks. They were fast having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees shut, and the man in charge was away, in his of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods cottage agross the field: there was no light shin- are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns ing from the window. He was asleep. No of THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARK barges passed up and down at night. His duties I and Godown Company. Kowloon, whence

have to cross next morning to the lock was now No Claims will be admitted after the Goods submerged. Mr. Pennycomequick halted at the have left the Godowns, and all claims must be coks, and stood looking down into the lower sent in to the office of the Undersigned before level, listening to the rush of the water that Noon, on the 9th inst., or they will not be re-All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to

amined on the 9th inst., at 4 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 9th the lambent dance of the foam, a phenomenon instant, will be subject to rent. Optional cargo will be forwarded unless noticeto the contrary be given before 10 A.M., TO-

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